

Chapter 4

2. **Throne:** The royal seat of authority and government.
3. **Jasper and Sardine:** Divine glory visible to man. (Chap. 21:11.)
Rainbow: Sign of God's unchanging covenant with the earth in mercy. Post-diluvian relationship. (Gen. 9:13, 14; Ezek. 1:28.)
4. **Twenty-four:** Priestly completeness. The number of the courses of the priesthood in Israel. (1 Chron. 24:4.) Twice the administrative perfection in man.
Elders: Glorified saints as invested with wisdom and intelligence.
White Raiment: Recognition of righteousness. (Chap. 6:11.)
Crowns of Gold: Royal dignity.
5. **Lightnings and Thunderings and Voices:** Signs of judicial dealing. (Psa. 29:3, 4.)
Seven Lamps of Fire: The consuming power of the Spirit of God in perfect development. (Heb. 12:29; chap. 1:4.)
6. **Sea of Glass:** Solid purity, in contrast with the water of the laver. (Ex. 30:17-21.)
Four Beasts [*living creatures*.]: God's attributes in judicial and governmental power on earth. Types of power, firmness, intelligence, and rapidity of execution.
8. **Six Wings:** Supernatural swiftness. (Ezek. 1.)
Full of Eyes: Perfect intelligence.